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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas MAROTZKE
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 19, 2005, Applicant hereby elects species I, Figures 1-6 and 13, for prosecution in the subject application. Claims 1-20 and 28 are readable on the elected species. The Examiner has indicated that claims 1, 2 and 28 are generic.

Applicant, of course, reserves the right to file a divisional application covering the non-elected subject matter and/or to receive consideration of claims to additional species as provided by 37 CFR 1.141, upon allowance of any claim that is generic.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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